GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Production and Consumption of Milk
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has made any assessment of the quantity of production and consumption of milk in the country at present, separately;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) the efforts made by the Government to enhance the production of milk through cooperatives;

(d) whether the production of milk has increased in the cooperative sector as a result thereof during the last three years and the current year; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE
(SHRI MOHANBHAI KUNDARIYA)

(a)&(b) The Government conducts Integrated Sample Survey on regular basis on 15% sample of villages every year in order to estimate the production of major livestock products including milk production. As per the latest available survey reports, the estimated milk production during 2014-15, State/UT-wise, across the country is placed as Annexure-I. Data regarding consumption of milk in the country is not available with the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries.

(c) The Department is implementing the following schemes to increase milk production through cooperatives in the country:

i. National Dairy Plan (Phase-I):
ii. National Programme for Bovine Breeding and Dairy Development
iii. Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme

(d)&(e) The procurement of milk by the dairy cooperatives has increased from 33528 Thousand Litre per day (TLPD) during 2012-13 to 38179 TLPD during 2014-15. The State-wise detail is given at Annexure-II.